- C. The Governor may remove any member of the Council for any cause adversely affecting the member's ability or willingness to perform his or her duties.
- D. In case of a vacancy, the Governor shall appoint a successor for the remainder of the life of the Commission.
- E. A majority of the Council shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of any business. The Council may adopt such other procedures necessary to ensure the orderly transaction of business including the appointment of subcommittees or work groups utilizing the expertise of non Commission members.
- F. The members of the Council may not receive any compensation for their services. The members may be reimbursed for their reasonable expenses incurred in the performance of duties, in accordance with the standard travel regulations, and as provided in the State budget.
- G. The Department of Health and Mental Hygiene shall provide such staff support necessary for the completion of the Commission's duties and as provided in the State Budget.

3. Scope of the Commission

The Commission shall conduct a thorough examination of the programs and laws relating to the health status of Maryland's minority citizens and in doing so shall:

- A. Hold hearings at which persons, organizations, and agencies with an interest in the health status of Maryland's black and other minority citizens may present their views;
- B. Conduct meetings, discussions and examinations as necessary to gather information on the laws and services relating to minority health care in Maryland and other states;
- C. Identify and examine the limitations and problems associated with existing laws, programs and services related to the health status of Maryland's minority citizens;
- D. Examine the financing and access to health services for Maryland's black and minority